

WAVERY, IOWA, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1945

## New Prexy and Family

The announcement of the call and the acceptance of Rev. C. H. Becker to the presidency of Wartburg College has no doubt roused intense interest among Wartburg students, alumni, and friends. Most of them want to know more about him, to get better acquainted with the man who is to help Wartburg on its way toward becoming a bigger and better institution.

Recently a Trumpet reporter paid Pastor Becker a visit. Here are the results of the interview: "Conrad H. Becker was extended to the Presidency on Tuesday, January 18. Two and one-half weeks later he announced his acceptance. After conscientious and prayerful deliberation he came to the conclusion that the Lord was leading him to this specific field of service. He accepts with joy and enthusiasm, being convinced that Wartburg College has a great future and can become one of the big service institutions of our Church.

Rev. Becker leaves the Waverly Children's home where he served as superintendent for the past five years. Many changes took place at the Home during his stay there. The program of the Home was changed from that of a long-term institutional care for normal children to a treatment program for children with specific problems. Well-trained workers were engaged for the administration of this new program, which also includes the placement of children into a normal family situation after they have had the institutional experience. A nursery and a remedial room were opened. Among other physical changes that have taken place is the erection of Memorial Hall in 1941 and the recent completion of a sun-parade addition.

Pastor Becker began his education in the northern part of Iowa. After the father called him a professor of religion at Wartburg Normal College in Waverly, the family moved to this city, and Rev. Becker attended the local preparatory school for two years. After that he attended Wartburg Normal Academy, Wartburg Normal College, and Wartburg Seminary, graduating from the seminary in 1919. From there he went to his work in Colorado, where he was serving congregations. He became vitally interested in social problems and the study of sociology. He attended Colorado State College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts, at which institution he earned his B. S. and M. A. degrees.

Concerning the matter of the relocation of the college, Rev. Becker disclosed that at a recent meeting of the Board of Christian Education in Chicago, it was decided to engage the services of a study group from the North Central Association, who will study the question objectively and make recommendations to the Board of Education should contact as many people as possible in the mid-west. An outline of the plan of the information they can on this question. Bids made by the various schools and churches in the Wartburg College area are also being considered.

Personally, Rev. Becker is most anxious that Wartburg College should have a chance to grow and develop normally. He has a firm conviction that no institution can develop "wholesomely if it is constantly subjected to the pressure of the most important immediate need of Wartburg College is to have a sense of status and security. That is true of the student body attending Wartburg College, and it is equally true of the faculty serving Wartburg College, and it is true of whatever community Wartburg College may be located in.

Pledging his whole-hearted devotion to the new task, President Becker declares, "I shall give

## LOCAL MINISTERS ATTEND MEETING

Four local clergymen represented the Lutheran Children's Home at Waverly, Iowa, at a meeting of Lutheran agencies in Des Moines, Iowa, Monday, February 12. The meeting was held at Iowa Lutheran Hospital, with Dr. C. Krumholz, of the national Lutheran Council's Department of Social Welfare, acting as chairman. Purpose of this meeting was to discuss integration of efforts in a state-wide Lutheran program of social welfare.

The meeting was sponsored by the Board of Charities of the American Lutheran Church. Local representatives were Rev. C. H. Becker, Rev. L. A. Sager, Dr. G. Kohnmann of Buck Creek, Iowa, and Pastor Hanff of Tripoli, Iowa.

## SOCIAL WORKERS HEAR SCHAFFNITZ

Rev. C. F. Schaffnitz, superintendent of the Lutheran Charities of Detroit, Michigan, and the present chairman of the Board of Charities of the American Lutheran Church, was in Waverly last week. He visited at the Waverly Children's Home and spoke to the Wartburg Social Case Work 306 class on Tuesday, February 13, on the future of social work in the American Lutheran church and in America at large.

## Rural Youth Has Valentine Party

"Rural Youth", in its annual Valentine celebration, chartered members of the 4-H club of Bremer County at the Community Hall in Waverly on February 10. Winifred Martin, State Association of Music Extension Services at Ames, Iowa, had charge of the evening's entertainment.

Barton Schwerin, a Wartburg student, was chairman of the refreshments committee and Stella Duhr was head of the program committee. Purpose of the Rural Youth Organization is entertainment and education of the rural boy and girl. Stella Duhr is the acting vice president and Barton Schwerin is treasurer of this youth organization.

Pennsylvania State College is offering a correspondence course in rabbit care. A.C.P. —

| As of February 5, the total received in the Educational Appeal office was \$1,827,950. The detailed tabulation follows: | Amount                |
|---|-----------------------|
| District of Columbia  | \$ 70,850.00          |
| California  | 20,052.00             |
| Central   | 56,538.00             |
| Dakota  | 55,424.00             |
| Eastern   | 86,405.00             |
| Illinois  | 147,388.00            |
| Iowa  | 178,405.00            |
| Michigan  | 139,927.00            |
| Minnesota   | 130,200.00            |
| Northwestern  | 106,085.00            |
| Ohio  | 228,599.00            |
| Texas   | 238,870.00            |
| Wisconsin   | 72,959.00             |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>\$1,830,950.00</b> |
| Saved Tax (community)   | 93,000.00             |
| Women's Missionary Fund   | 100,000.00            |
| Wartburg Press  | 4,000.00              |

Grand Total \$1,827,950.00  
—Lutheran Standard

Rev. C. H. Becker  
Waverly, Iowa

Dear Pastor Becker: The Wartburg Alumni Association through its Executive Committee would take this opportunity to express to you who have accepted the Presidency of Wartburg College as she stands on the threshold of what we believe to be a great development program and a movement to rank it as a first class college in the Middle West its full cooperation and support. May the Lord richly bless you in your undertaking, may He guide and lead you. May we, the Alumni Association, always be ready to give to you a ready helping hand to express our confidence in the future development of Wartburg College.

We congratulate you upon your election, rejoice over your acceptance, and would express our confidence in the future development of Wartburg College.  
Cordially  
The Wartburg Alumni Executive Committee

## Education Board Meets in Ohio

Dr. O. C. Hardwig, local physician, attended on February 12, the meeting of the Board of Christian Higher Education. The board met with the trustees of the Church. Decisions reached have not, as yet, been disclosed. The board of Christian Higher Education is a committee selected by the biennial convention of the American Lutheran Church. It is the duty of the board to supervise institutions of higher learning belonging to the church. The board is normally the highest administrative body in matters pertaining to Wartburg College.

## Examiners Visit Wartburg College

Dean M. J. Nelson of Iowa State Teachers' College, Cedar Falls, Iowa, and Mr. R. Sage of Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa, representatives of the Iowa Intercollegiate Standing Committee, paid Wartburg College a visit on February 14.

The administration afterward expressed itself as so satisfied with the results of the visit. The examiners viewed the hope that the program in the form of a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Universities before another visit comes due.

## Patriotic Formal Dinner Held

Last evening, February 23, the first formal dinner of the second semester was held in the college dining hall at 6:15 p. m. The dinner was in patriotic spirit, celebrating both Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays. Lloyd Dolanoff acted as master of ceremonies. Lois Landbeck gave two renditions of semi-classical piano selections. Alvin Zellinger sang several popular numbers as a part of the program. Betty Johnson and Harold Schmidt portrayed Washington's farewell address to his mother in a short play.

The student body then went to Wartburg Hall for an evening of entertainment in the form of games and other recreation. Rev. and Mrs. Donald Brautlich (former Margaret Droste) are the parents of a future alumnus of Wartburg born February 6. She has been named Jean Margaret.

## HOME ECONOMICS INSTRUCTORS IN IOWA PICK SMITH

"University and College Teachers of Home Economics" in Iowa recently honored Eloise Claire Smith, M. S., instructor of home economics at Wartburg College. Miss Smith was elected chairman of the group, which comprises most teachers in this field in the state of Iowa.

This organization is a professional group which discusses problems common to all colleges which offer home economics. Such matters include curriculum, guidance, and transfer of credits, as well as academic subjects.

Miss Smith presented a paper, "The Offerings of Home Economics to Non-Majors" at the meeting in Cedar Rapids on February 10, after which she was elected to the chairmanship.

Serving with Miss Smith as secretary of the association is Mildred Fischer of Coe College, Cedar Rapids.

Eight colleges were represented at the meeting in Cedar Rapids. These were Coe College, Rockford State College, Iowa State Teachers' College, Simpson, the State University of Iowa, the University of Dubuque, and Wartburg. Other schools belonging to the group are Mercyrest, Parsons, Upper Iowa University, William Penn, Iowa Wesleyan, Kletzing and Clarke.

The organization is relatively new in the state of Iowa, inasmuch as the group is now entering its third year of operation.

Next meeting of the group will be May 5, 1945, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Twenty-five instructors will represent sixteen schools at this meeting.

Eloise Claire Smith received her Bachelor of Science degree from Wartburg College, Rockford, Illinois. She earned her Master of Science degree at the University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois. She has studied additionally at the University of Chicago and also at the University of Illinois State College.

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## Luther League Sponsors Religious Emphasis Week

### Twenty-Four On Honor Roll

The Wartburg College student honor roll for the first semester of the 1944-45 school year has been released. There are three boys and twenty-one girls who made the select list. The list with their respective grade-point averages follows:

|                     |       |
|---------------------|-------|
| Fitchell, Margaret  | 4.000 |
| Gold, Jean          | 4.000 |
| Hilton, Neil        | 4.000 |
| Lykes, Lorraine     | 4.000 |
| Orin, Irene         | 4.000 |
| Wallace, Marilyn    | 4.000 |
| Goli, Joan          | 3.820 |
| Weeks, Elizabeth    | 3.820 |
| Taylor, Phyllis     | 3.810 |
| Henneman, Emille    | 3.760 |
| Schwartz, Inez      | 3.760 |
| Wynn, Margaret      | 3.750 |
| Brautlich, Ruth     | 3.720 |
| Weeks, Victoria     | 3.690 |
| Landbeck, Lois      | 3.672 |
| Martens, Rudolph    | 3.647 |
| Guethlich, Theodore | 3.623 |
| Johnson, Betty      | 3.611 |
| Knock, Ingrid       | 3.583 |
| Sandreck, Joan      | 3.562 |
| Johnson, Emma       | 3.540 |
| Kohlmann, Ardin     | 3.500 |

## THREE SPEAKERS FEATURE MEET

This year Religious Emphasis week, sponsored by the Luther League, was observed on February 12, 13, and 14, during the morning sessions with Rev. E. Hoefler of Waterloo, Iowa, Rev. H. W. Dietrich, president of the Iowa District, as guest speakers. The first speaker, Rev. E. Hoefler, more Acts 1:1-12 as the basis for his Monday morning address. These verses portray the boldness of Paul and his "strong conviction of faith and his boldness in confessing it," he said. Hoefler continued, "We need conviction because the world has no conviction." Our great weakness is that we do not have God's conviction, a faith strong enough to give us the desire and courage to confess and proclaim Christ to the world. For I believe, the love of Christ will constrain us to live for him and to seek to bring others to him. We must know what we believe and then lead lives directed by our own convictions."

### Pastor Rausche Speaks

Tuesday morning the students heard an inspiring message delivered by Pastor Rausche. The theme of his address was "Purposeful Living." The fact was stated that the world is segregated from the world in which we live if it is to be purposeful. He said, "I believe, the love of Christ will constrain us to live for him and to seek to bring others to him. We must know what we believe and then lead lives directed by our own convictions."

Pastor Stahli's based his message on the text, "For I believed unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures." His introduction emphasized the fact that, as students enter this series of lectures, they must bend their spirits, prepare, and be ready to follow Christ to Golgotha. In talking about it, he told the audience that it is not enough to have one's emotions touched. Christians must truly realize the love of Christ and He must become, "first of all," in their lives, "first of all."

He asked the question, "What is it that really comes first for you in your lives? Each of you should examine his life because there is an extreme urgency for Christ to be, 'first of all,' he concluded.

## REV. S. HERFORTH PROVIDES MUSIC FOR SPIRITUALS

Rev. Samuel Herforth of Millard, Nebraska, has recently provided melodies for three negro spirituals written by Dr. G. A. Neumann of Wartburg College faculty. These spirituals are "Take a My Hand," "Come Along," and "I'm a Pilgrim."

The composer, Pastor Herforth, is also known as editor of the Central District League, a publication of the Luther League in the Central District of the American Lutheran Church.

## Summer Session Begins May 28

After a week's vacation, many Wartburg students will continue their education with summer session courses beginning Monday, May 28, 1945. Instruction will be offered in two semesters of six weeks each with a maximum credit of twelve hours.

The entire present faculty will offer instruction in every department of the college during summer school. In addition G. Ostersberg and E. Liemoen are soon to teach. Both of these men have been absent the past school year to pursue graduate work.

Professor Liemoen will return at that time with his degree of Doctor of Theology from the Union Theological Seminary, at Columbia University, New York City.

Wartburg Artist Series will present keynotes this summer, as directed by regular school year. Besides this, various other student activities will be available.

T. E. Danley, Bradford, Pa., oil executive and art connoisseur, has presented to St. Bonaventure college, Orono, N. Y., 17 paintings from his private collection. A.C.P. —

## Alumni Council to Present Recommendations to Alumni

### CAMPUS SOCIAL CENTER STRESSED

On February 6, 1945, the Alumni Council, a newly organized institution, held its first meeting in Luther Hall.

The meeting was divided into three discussion periods during which the council informally considered approximately 12 subjects on topics which it thought to be of importance to the Wartburg Alumni Association. The primary purpose of the council was to draw up recommendations pertaining to topics to be discussed at the annual spring meeting of the Alumni Association.

The following recommendations will be presented to the association at the spring meeting:

- Resolved:
1. That balloting on the election of officers and on resolutions be conducted by mail.
2. That the Association membership be extended to include non-alumni who are interested in the college.
3. That the name of the Association be changed to the

## CHOIR TO TOUR THREE STATES

The Wartburg College Choir will go on an extensive tour of these states during the spring of 1946 if transportation conditions will permit. According to Dr. Schaffnitz, the choir manager.

Advance plans are now being made for the proposed itinerary, which will include the states of Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Professor E. Liemoen will direct, if he is able to leave. He will have his degree of Doctor of Sacred Music.

A Harvard Medical professor asserts a child as a rule should be six years old before his tonsils or adenoids are removed. A.C.P. —

### Pastor E. J. Brautlich Searns, Texas

Dear Pastor Brautlich: The Wartburg Alumni Association, through its Executive Committee, would like to express its sincere thanks and appreciation to you for your efforts in securing your tenure of office as President of Wartburg College. We are fully conscious of the many times through which Wartburg passed, the many seemingly insurmountable obstacles that confronted you in getting Wartburg safely to the point where she now stands. We know that your labor was in the Lord; that He has been faithful to you. Your labor and efforts have not been in vain. You have brought us through the darkest days of the present day, where we believe you with us are grateful for its future development.

May we say again we appreciate your service to Wartburg College and for us in the Alumni Association. We pray that God bless you in your pastorate at Searns.

Sincerely,  
The Wartburg Alumni Executive Committee



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## CONCERNING COOPERATION

"A small dependable staff is much more practical than a large undependable one." A recent meeting of the "Trumpet heads" came to that conclusion and decided to take immediate steps to reorganize. All assignments, in the future will be made by the news editor and it may be a good idea to pay close attention to the deadline. We've come to the conclusion that too many of the present writers are entirely too passive concerning their Trumpet work. Perhaps it's our fault, perhaps it's not, at any rate, as Dewey would say, "It's time for a change." It takes a lot of work to put out a paper, but it's really an easy task if there is a little cooperation on the part of all contributors. This is not a threat but an admonition, a reminder, if you will. Remember "cooperation spells success."

—D. B. L.

## CONCERNING LENT

Matt 16:24 "If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross and follow me." While studying the correct observance of Lent, the duty of "self-denial" immediately flashes into our mind, and rightly so, but are our choices of denial always correct? Denying ourselves shows or parties on a college campus would practically mean a complete withdrawal of the students from their entire recreation and may even suggest a dangerous substitute. But there is a much more plausible, valuable, and yet severe denial which would be in closer harmony with the spiritual theme of advent. During the six weeks of Lent may our denial be one that will mold our character into a person as Christ would want us to be. Let us deny ourselves the idle waste of time, a hard word against our fellow student, faulty attitude towards campus occurrences, a filthy tongue, an unhappy spirit, long moments without prayer, and an unforgiving heart. The denial of these would not be just a momentary denial but would become so intrinsically imbedded in ourselves that they would be an immortal part of our personality. Self denial then truly become a permanent denial and not merely a temporary abstinence!

—H. F. B.

## News Concerning Other Lutherans

The Women's Missionary Federation of the American Lutheran Church voted at Chicago to spend \$20,000 for the distribution of religious literature in mission fields, and among Negro and Mexican groups in this country.—R. N. S. There are 24 million Lutherans in Germany, who "officially" subscribe to the Confessional writings of the Evangelical Lutheran Church.—Missouri Synod Publicity Dept.

A two-day institute on Social Problems was held January 14-15 on the campus of the University of Illinois. Lutheran Student Association. The session was opened by Dr. M. P. F. Boermann, president of the Illinois District of the groups in this country.—R. N. S. American Lutheran Church. A series of other speakers from various synods took part in the

## Religious News and Views

By RUDOLF MARTENS

St. John 15  
If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you, ye shall abide in me, and I shall abide in you, and ye shall bear much fruit; so shall ye be my disciples.

18. Here is my Father glorified that ye bear much fruit; so shall ye be my disciples.

19. As the Father hath loved me, so I loved you; continue ye in my love.

20. If ye keep My Commandments, ye shall abide in my love, even as the Father abode in His love, and I will manifest Myself to you, and abide in His love.

21. These things have I spoken unto you, that My joy might remain in you, and that your joy might be full.

22. This is My Commandment, That ye love one another, as I have loved you, even as the Father hath loved me, that ye also love one another.

23. Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.

24. Ye are My friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you.

In the few verses presented above, we find some of the richest truths of the Scriptures. The setting for these words of Jesus is in the supper room where the Lord has just instituted His Holy Supper. He realizes that His hour has come and that the Son of Man is to be betrayed. Therefore, in His last moments, Jesus is instructing His disciples in the true Christian life. Here the Lord assures His followers that they will have the mighty power of prayer and that if their prayers are in accordance with His divine will, they shall be granted. Continuing, the Lord asserts that His disciples will be able to lay down their lives for their friends, which will be done to the glory of God. Jesus now again commands His own to abide in His love which has been an example for them to follow. Thus, Jesus was the very personification of love and therefore all that claim to be his followers must be permeated and filled with that love for all that passes human understanding. Let

us never forget that it was because of God's love for us, sinful and miserable sinners as we are, that He sent His only begotten Son into this wicked world. For that very same reason, Jesus will come again to judge all these that live and all those that sleep. In love He would end the tribulations of His servants here on earth and give them that have been faithful to Him the crown of life eternal.

Is it strange that, as our text continues, we find Jesus speaking of joy, while His disciples are undergoing heart-rending sorrow as they await His imminent seizure and death? No, it is not strange, for the Lord is speaking of the joy that is full when one serves Him, the Lord and Maker of all. Clearly, the Master is pointing out that no matter how great earthly sorrow may be, nevertheless in Him we can find joy and peace for all our tribulations and disappointments. Having prepared His disciples for His death, Jesus then utters one of the most blessed of all statements in the Bible concerning substitutionary death. It remains then that they must be willing to sacrifice their lives so that others may live. All but one of the men present that night heard this command and laid down their lives afterward, so that Christ's Kingdom might grow and prosper. The other, John, who lived a natural death at a ripe old age, passed away to his eternal rest with the words, "Children, love one another," still in his ears. Oh, may we all be privileged to serve even as these disciples did, and, if need be, pay the same price that they were capable of—death in Christ's service. Amen.

Go to dark Gethsemane, Ye that feel the tempter's power, Your Redeemer's conflict see; Watch with Him, me after you; Tarry not from His griefs away. Learn of Jesus Christ to pray.—James Montgomery

Merlin Kramer ('43-44) writes from Camp Craft, South Carolina, where he has been out on maneuvers, learning among other things "to eat 'C' rations!"

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## BECKER

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Wartburg the very best I can and have. It is my hope and prayer that I may offer Wartburg College an energetic and dynamic leadership founded upon faith in my Master and faith in His Church, my own American Lutheran Church. I am convinced that Wartburg College has a great future."

I am also convinced that Wartburg College has a fine faculty of consecrated and enthusiastic men and women. My recent contacts with the student body have convinced me that we have a splendid group of students who believe in Wartburg College and who envision a great future for our school."

It sincerely hope that Wartburg College will be able to acquire physical facilities which will attract students to its college. We need adequate and attractive dormitory facilities. We need a modern and adequate gymnasium. We need a large and attractive auditorium. We need a library. After our student body has reached 300 or more we will need a science building. We need to develop our curriculum and add new departments to the college. This will necessitate additional faculty

force. We need, we want, and we will have a student body of no less than 700 students within a few years. We need a Wartburg college that is willing and enthusiastic to serve God and His Church in our generation. These are the objectives for which I pray and for which I will give the very best I can. They are objectives that you and I must be realized in the not too distant future."

There is no doubt in my mind that Wartburg has a great future, and I am convinced that the "Greater Wartburg" will be realized!

Marion Chapman ('42-44) one of last year's 2-year teacher graduates is now "impacting 'the minds' in the Eldora, Iowa kindergarten."

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| DECEMBER 31, 1944                       |                  |
| ASSETS                                  | \$21,153,805.57  |
| LIABILITIES                             | 19,369,652.04    |
| TOTAL SURPLUS                           | 1,824,156.53     |
| 1944 Increase Insurance in Force        | 10,750,374.00    |
| Increase in Assets                      | 2,641,648.32     |
| Paid to Policyholders and Beneficiaries | 1,127,225.31     |
| Reserve for 1945 Dividends              | 558,000.00       |
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What the show's over already? Why, it's started. Okay, I'll go around and spend my ticket at one of the concessions. Say, that Mrs. Laubach really packs a wallop (doesn't she?) I wonder if she doesn't accept the prize for pounding the spike in with 10 blowers. Doesn't she like to get on the canvas? Do I hear a scream? Oh, it's just Marilyn Wallace trying to dodge as Doc Hertel tries to tie the balls at her through the hole in the canvas. That football helmet really is becoming on her, isn't it? Who is this over in front of the chair board? Why, it's Becker and Wolf. They certainly are cleaning up in that joint. Oh, I see. Somebody there must have knocked a pole over. There goes the fortune teller's tent. Who's that in there

holding hands? Oh, it's just Langholz—having his palm read—no need for all that excitement back seat. Well, it's about our bedtimes. Little man, you've had a hard night. Oh, hello Prof. Cornbliss is that telegram from some of your German students? Goodbye, everybody. Him, the girl's dorm is dark. I wonder where everybody is. Probably studying. Better change the sheets (white and send my laundry bag home Monday. Let's see, do I have enough dough? What's this red thing in my pocket? Oh, fuddy duddy. I forgot to spend my ticket at one of the concessions. That's another five cents shot.

## Hot Coals From —The Ash Can—

Dr. Haefner, after writing a quite lengthy Greek text on the blackboard said: "Well, translate them into their English and then they will correct them." Slush: "Nice Work!"

Why those hairy faces? The Sem. just pulled in.  
Why those sorrowful faces? The Sem. just pulled in.

And just what did Rosier and Kurtz do in Waterloo?  
What will the students on Wartburg campus do now that Byrnes has ordered all amusement places closed at twelve midnight? Oh, well, it's just another adjustment we'll have to make. (It wouldn't be so bad but the new regulation also includes Friday night, which the night at Wartburg when the sides go out. For further details see H. F. B.)

It actually happened dept. Neil Hilton was the first patron to leave the dining hall last Tuesday. The size of miracles is not yet over.

Can you imagine a menu consisting of bread, sardines, boiled eggs and honey? Yes, there are residents of Wartburg Hall who actually indulge in a midnight snack of this variety. Could their choice of menu have been influenced by Miss Smith?

Undoubtedly you have seen John Keller ramming his fingers down his throat and making all kinds of funny noises. He has just coughed up a pill for the second time today. You see, John, it was his habit to eat the bottle "TAKE ONE PILL THREE TIMES A DAY."

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## Poetry Corner

### IT'S NEBBER FORGITTEN DAT DAY

A cross an' a cross on Calvary Height,  
Due to de fact an' one to de right,  
An' dat's where de sinners was crucified.  
Oh, 't's nebbber forgotten' dat day,  
't's nebbber forgotten' dat day,  
When de world am gone an' de stars am gone  
't's nebbber forgotten' dat day.

De'y's puttin' a cross in de middle fo' me,  
But de Lord He say foh to setten me free—  
't's nebbber forgotten' dat day,  
Oh, 't's nebbber forgotten' dat day,  
't's nebbber forgotten' dat day,  
When de world am gone an' de stars am gone  
't's nebbber forgotten' dat day.

Oh, de Lord 't's in de middle fo' grace,  
On de cross in de middle He takin' my place—  
An' de blood run down His divin' face.  
Oh, 't's nebbber forgotten' dat day,  
't's nebbber forgotten' dat day,  
When de world am gone an' de stars am gone  
't's nebbber forgotten' dat day.

—G. J. Neumann.

## Knights To Remember

(On the Trail of Wartburg Alumni)

Lorraine Grossman (44) is working in the settlement house in Detroit, Mich. The house is a branch of the Lutheran Charities in Detroit. She is also taking some graduate work from the University of Michigan in social work.

Clara Vukten (42-3) is now employed at the Ritz company in Waterloo. Her fiance, Walt Goeke (41-3) is as far as can be judged, on his way across.

It sounded pretty good to have

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### CONVOCATIONS

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Thursday convocation featured a "community sing" or rather a "college sing." The slide projector was used to flash the songs on the screen, and Ronnie Jensen led the group singing.

Reuben Lang based his Friday convocation on Mark 2:1-12. The message centered around the words "That they are whole have no need of the physician, but they that are sick, I came not to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance."

On Monday morning Pastor Welter, head of A. L. C. missions in Canada, delivered the message. His text was Rev. 2:10. "Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give you a crown of life. The theme of his address was expressed in the words of Herman Bredt, "It is not necessary that we be happy, but it is necessary that we be faithful."

Another Cathedral film entitled "Man Faith" was seen at Tuesday convocation. Mark 2:1-12. The theme of the healing of the man let down through the roof, was the basis for the picture.

The regular Friday convocation was held on Wednesday and was in charge of Don Leach. His text was Gal. 6:15. "But God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom the word is crucified unto me, and I unto the world." He stressed the significance of the cross and the fact that we should cherish it.

Mr. Zeite, who is chairman of the Waverly Red Cross Chapter, talked to the students and faculty on Thursday morning about the work of the Waverly Chapter and the Red Cross as a whole. Assurance was given that anything given or done for the Red Cross is deeply appreciated and well worthwhile. Mr. Zeite complimented and thanked the students for the work they have done, but he is interested in seeing them do better in this coming drive than they did in the last one.

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## Parish Workers Name Johnson

The Parish Workers organized at a meeting held January 16. They elected as president Betty Johnson; vice president Betty Krohl; and secretary-treasurer, Irmgard Knack. Monthly meetings will be held on the second Sunday of every month.

The February meeting was held February 11 at St. Paul's parish house. A committee was appointed to draw up its constitution.

Those eligible for membership are those taking the parish workers course and those out in the field. A name for the new organization has not been decided on as yet. Dr. Hiltner has given the names of the parish workers to the district president, Rev. H. Sieffes and to the Executive Secretary of the Board of Home Missions, Rev. E. H. Meuser. The plan was to have the girls serve "intensity" in congregations during the summer months.

After the business meeting, Dr. Hiltner took the girls through the church and explained the symbolism of the church.

## Music Notes

Ash Wednesday evening Herb Brokering sang two tenor solos at the German and English services at St. Paul's church. His selections were "Hand in Hand Mit Jesu" and "Hear My Cry On Lord."

Everything from Gay Ninety Songs to plantation numbers echoed through convocation hall Thursday as Ronald Jensen led the student body in a song fest. During two intermissions Margaret Friedel as Ronald Jensen led artistically sounded out some piano selections. Margaret played "Schubert's Concerto No. 1."



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